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INTO THE BREACH

President Roosevelt Enters Again As Peace Angel.

WOULD SAVE CONFERENCE FROM SHIPWRECK.

Had Talks With Representatives of the Envoys and Sent Messages to Government Heads.

ON TUESDAY NEXT TALE WILL BE TOLD.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 19.—President Roosevelt has stepped into the breach, and is making a last desperate effort to save the peace conference from shipwreck. That in a sentence is believed to be the situation now. Just what the president is doing has not transpired, but it is regarded as certain that he has appealed both to Tokio and St. Petersburg to induce the warring countries to show a spirit of concessions and not allow the conference to go onto the rocks next Tuesday. Mr. Griscom and Mr. Meyer may have been instructed to make direct appeals to the emperors of the two countries.

May Be Accomplished.

If the co-operation of France and England, the allies of the respective belligerents is secured, something may be accomplished. In the last report the main obstacle to success of the peace negotiations is certain to prove to be the question of indemnity. Russia will not pay a "cock of tribute," is the language of Mr. Witte. That is believed to be Russia's last word on that question. The question of the cession of Sakhalin may be arranged. But unless Japan relinquishes her claim for "the cost of the war" hope is gone. It is at Tokio, consequently, that the issue will probably be decided. France, it is certain, will support the president's effort. If England will now bring pressure to bear as it is definitely stated she is now prepared to do, the situation may be saved.

EXPECTED AT OYSTER BAY.

Representative Will Today Talk to President.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 19.—A representative of the Russian peace envoys at Portsmouth will arrive here late today or tomorrow to confer with President Roosevelt. The identity of the representative is not disclosed. His mission will be to consult the president with a view to bringing about an agreement between the Russian and Japanese envoys that will prevent a final rupture between the two sets of plenipotentiaries. The representative will come to Oyster Bay by direct invitation of the president. The invitation was transmitted to Mr. Witte last night after the president had had a conference with Baron Kaneko, who came here late yesterday evening as a representative of the Japanese government.

Neither Will Talk.

Neither the president nor Baron Kaneko would disclose any of the details of their conference, but after the baron left at 8 o'clock an important message was sent to Herbert D. Pierce, assistant secretary of state, at Portsmouth, which Mr. Pierce communicated to the Russian envoys. Later an exchange of messages took place between Oyster Bay and Portsmouth. Secretary Pierce acting as intermediary between the president and the Russian plenipotentiaries.

While details of these communications are lacking it is known that they represent an earnest effort on the part of the president to bring the envoys into an agreement that would be satisfactory to both belligerent governments. Whether the president urges that concessions be made by either side or suggested any other means by which an agreement might be reached is now known.

Contained Invitation.

At any rate the communications from the president contained an invitation for a representative Russian to visit him at Sagamore Hill as soon as convenient in order that the subject might be considered fully. The envoy to the president probably will make the journey to Sagamore Hill in part by rail and in part by water.

The naval yacht Sylph is expected to meet him at some point on the lower New England coast and convey him direct to Sagamore Hill.

While messages are being exchanged today between Oyster Bay and

Portsmouth on the subject the time of the arrival of the envoy is not known.

LEAVES PORTSMOUTH.

Baron De Rosen Accompanied by Prince Kudacheff.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 19.—Baron Rosen left here early today with Prince Kudacheff, one of the attaches of the Russian mission. He was bound ostensibly for his home at Magnolia, where Mr. Witte was to have been his guest today for luncheon. Mr. Witte at 10:30 o'clock this morning left in a motor car for Magnolia, accompanied by Col. Samoyloff.

ARRIVES IN BOSTON.

Envoy Probably on His Way to the Metropolis.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 19.—Baron De Rosen, accompanied by a member of the peace delegation, arrived in this city today from Portsmouth, N. H. Some suggestion that the Russian plenipotentiary was going to New York City, and not to Magnolia, was found in the fact that in conversation with the Russians he spoke of boarding a limited train for the metropolis, and that parlor car seats on the Shore Line limited over the New York, New Haven & Hartford road were sold to two Russians at the south station here.

GOV. "BOB" TAYLOR.

Arrangements Made by the T. M. Club to Properly Receive Him Monday.

The Paducah Traveling Men's Club met last night at the Palmer House for the purpose of selecting the different committees pertaining to the lecture to be given tomorrow evening at The Kentucky by ex-Gov. Bob Taylor, of Tennessee. The lecture will be under the auspices of the Traveling Men's Club, and President Milton Sanchez is making every effort to entice all members to do their best in this their first effort in entertaining since the organization of the club. The distinguished and noted lecturer will arrive here at 1:15 o'clock over the N., C. & St. L. railroad and will be escorted to the Palmer House, where a hearty reception and welcome will be tendered him.

The reception committee, composed of the following, was named, and all are requested to meet at the Palmer House at 12:30 tomorrow afternoon: Henry A. Petter, J. E. Walters, W. V. Green, R. S. Vanhook, Harry Phillips, Sam Hecht, Ernest Lackey, Van Burnett, L. F. Kolb, L. S. DuBois, A. R. Grouse, Milton Sanchez, C. W. Brown, Tom Hall, Gus Smith. Mr. Sanchez will serve as chairman of this committee.

The following ushers were selected and are requested to be at The Kentucky promptly at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening: Van Burnett, Sam Hecht, Louis Ricke, Jr., Harry Phillips, A. R. Grouse, C. W. Brown, Gus Smith, J. E. Walters, chairman.

R. S. VanLoon was selected as ticket-taker.

WILL SUE THE CITY.

Oscar Knowles Wants \$1,000 for Being Neglected.

Mr. Oscar Knowles, of the Palmer House barbershop, is preparing to have a suit filed against the city of Paducah for \$10,000 damages. His attorney is drawing up the suit preparatory to filing it within the next few days in the circuit court.

Mr. Knowles last winter was seized with a bad case of smallpox and was carried to the pest-house and he alleges that while at the pest-house he was mistreated and neglected in various ways. He says that he was rushed to the house without being allowed to consult relatives towards securing attention, and that after being confined there it was three days before a physician arrived to attend him.

Two Couples Married.

An unusual wedding occurred at Metropolis Friday night. Two couples were on the Dick Fowler en route from Cairo to this place when the same blissful thought struck all of them. So while the boat was landing at Metropolis Justice Liggett was called aboard to join them in wedlock. In his usual manner both couples were united with the same ceremony. The names of the parties were: Mr. Sidney Powers and Miss Kate Clark, of the South Side of the city, and Mr. James L. Vasseur and Miss Dora Bryson, of Palma, Marshall county.

A delegation from the Haywood lodge of the F. & A. M. went to Massac last night to extend a visit to the lodge at that place. A big barbecue was prepared and a delightful occasion was marked.

AN ALLEGED PLOT

To Assassinate Hargis and Callahan Just Told.

IS ADMITTED BY J. B. STANDAER, A PARTY.

Boy Shot and Killed Girl Who Would Not Let Him Ride, Arrested.

CONFESSES HE KILLED WRONG MAN.

Jackson, Ky., Aug. 19.—J. B. Standaer, who has been in hiding in Virginia since the breaking out of hostilities between the warring factions in Breathitt county, was arrested and returned to Jackson on a bench warrant from the Breathitt circuit court, where he stands indicted for conspiring with Moses Feltner and others to kill County Judge Hargis and Sheriff Callahan. Standaer is related to some of the best people in the mountains, and was released from custody on a bond executed by his kinsmen.

He talked freely about his connection with the feud, and publicly made statements which created a sensation here by reason of the fact that he connected a prominent official with a plot to murder two other officials of the county. He has made a statement over his signature giving in detail his connection with the feud.

Standaer implicates several men in an alleged plot to kill Hargis and Callahan, and says Hargis would have been killed on one occasion when returning from Crockettville to Jackson had he not taken a different route from that anticipated by the conspirators, who were lying in wait for him. Standaer says he never really intended to aid in the attempt to assassinate Hargis, but he became alarmed at the situation and left the state.

Boy Accused of Murder.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 19.—John Goodson, a 11-year-old schoolboy, is under arrest, charged with the murder of Hannah McQuade, aged 7, in Greenfield township, just outside the west city limits of Detroit, last night. The little McQuade girl, the daughter of Peter McQuade, a gardener, was driving toward the McQuade home in company with her two sisters, aged 10 and 12. Young Goodson and three companions, boys about the same age, who had been shooting sparrows along the road, appeared and attempted to climb upon the rear of the wagon. The girls ordered them off and whipped up the horses. Goodson, it is charged, became enraged and shot at the girls with the Florent rifle he was carrying. The bullet struck the little girl in the temple, killing her almost instantly. Goodson's companions, who are also in custody, declare that the bullet which struck the girl was aimed at a sparrow on a nearby telegraph pole.

Assassinated Wrong Man.

Huntington, W. Va., Aug. 19.—William Ellis was captured near Logan by a posse, of which his father was a member, and is held on the charge of having killed Robert Murphy, the deputy sheriff, who brought a prisoner here from Virginia. Ellis says that he mistook Murphy and his party for others with whom he had had trouble.

Killed While Robbing Grocery.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 19.—Edward Holleran, aged 15 years, of Allegheny, was shot dead early today at River-view, near Monongahela City, Pa., by Thompson Nolder, whose grocery store, it is said, he was robbing. Young Holleran and eight other companions escaped yesterday from the Morgantown reform school, and it is thought after hiding all day they became hungry and broke into the store to get something to eat.

One Cousin Killed Another.

Smithland, Ky., Aug. 19.—Charles Sanders, formerly of Livingston county, was shot and killed by his cousin, Will Dave Long, at Charleston, Mo., Thursday. Sanders' body was brought here for burial.

Both Long and Sanders formerly lived near here and went to Missouri about a year ago. Thursday, so report says, they quarreled and Sanders advanced on Long with a knife. Long shot him and he died soon after. Both are well known in this county.

A Florence, Ala., syndicate, talks of buying the Bailey Springs resort, near that place, and building an electric line thereto. The springs formerly were among the best-known in Tennessee for health-giving waters.

FEVER SITUATION

New Orleans Has no Change In Cases and Deaths.

HIGH HOPE IS THE SPIRIT MANIFESTED.

Federal Authorities Regard Work Nearer Perfection and Control of Scourge Improving.

PITTSBURG HAS A FEVER SCARE.

New Orleans, Aug. 19.—Today's reports of the fever situation developed no material change in conditions. The night was a sweltering one, but the early reports of the physicians and inspectors showed little variation from the usual number of cases and deaths. The federal authorities said that every day sees their system of work nearer to perfection, and the opportunities for controlling the sickness enhancing. The absence of a diminution in the daily report of new cases is a source of disappointment, but it is explained that the authorities must continue to insist upon notification of every case of fever if the campaign is to be successful. There is no opportunity now to sift the cases of malaria and typhoid from yellow fever.

Louisville & Nashville officials today had the new quarantine orders of Alabama explained. They do not affect through travel out of here, nor through travel into New Orleans, but are intended to prevent people in New Orleans from backtracking into Alabama. It has been found that efforts have been made by people who have been to New Orleans to get to points in Alabama by going to Atlanta and other points in the South.

ONE OF HIGH HOPE.

Feeling Among Officials in Charge of Yellow Fever Fight.

New Orleans, Aug. 19.—Summing up results of the campaign to date, Dr. Beverly Warner said today that it was the opinion of the health authorities that while the fever could not be said to be under control, it is being controlled, and that the chances are that there is no longer danger of a serious epidemic. Dr. Warner added that if it had not been for the splendid volunteer work which had been done by the citizens in screening, oiling, and in taking other precautions recommended by the local authorities, New Orleans today would probably be in the throes of an epidemic as devastating as were some of those of previous years. With conditions as they are today the feeling among all those officially in charge of the fight is one of high hope.

Continues to Decrease.

The death percentage continues to decrease. Each day shows a large number of patients discharged. The tendency is still toward a milder type of the sickness rather than toward one more virulent. The large number of new cases testifies to the zeal with which the physicians are making reports of cases within their practice. They turned in thirty-nine of the sixty-two in the preceding twenty-four hours.

A party of forty-seven Italians has reached the city over the Mississippi Valley road. When they reached the Union Station they were detained, a report of their presence there telephoned to federal headquarters. The Italians said that they had been chased out of the town in East Baton Rouge, many of them at the point of shotguns. They tried to leave the train at different points on the way down, but were prevented from doing so. As there was no sickness among them they were permitted to scatter over the city.

Quarantine Unnecessary.

Dr. Victor Keene, health officer of Indianapolis, who came South to look over the situation because there is an element in his city which believes quarantine should be put on, left here today. Dr. Keene said the people of New Orleans were the sanest and calmest he had found anywhere between here and Chicago. Dr. Keene was surprised at the excitement he found prevailing before he reached here, but was pleased with conditions in New Orleans. He found that there was no necessity for a quarantine by Indianapolis.

Doctors at Rayne, La., have disagreed as to the second case that has appeared there, some of them holding that it is malaria. There was no

doubt as to the first case. The infection in Rayne has caused some alarm in Texas, and the quarantine lines of that state are being tightened.

Dr. Stark has reported that much of the fever at Leeville, La., is dengue, but that there are some cases of yellow fever, though of a mild type. The victims are Austrians and Italians. Leeville is an oyster-fishing point and has been constantly in communication with New Orleans.

Causes Annoyance.

The fact that Alabama has issued an order prohibiting the passage of through passengers from infected points through that state has caused some annoyance here, as it threatens to add to the difficulties of the railroads. Another evidence of extreme quarantine is given by Vicksburg, which has now put an embargo on all freight from Louisiana. The quarantine of the Mississippi towns against the gulf coast in that state bars all soldiers whom Gov. Vardaman has sent from time to time to do service on the coast in maintaining the quarantine against Louisiana. The case at Starkville, Miss., is that of a soldier who has been on quarantine duty on the coast.

Dr. J. M. Lindsley, of Nashville, has appeared at mass-meetings here and sought to put questions to the lecturers. In the Tenth ward he caused some excitement by rising and desiring to know how the fever got here, whether through the importation of a person or an infected mosquito.

Dr. Oechsner said that now was not the time to try to settle how the fever got here. It was the time for all to co-operate in the effort to stamp it out.

CAUSES SCARE.

Party of Italians From New Orleans Reach Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 19.—Quite a scare has been caused in this vicinity by the report that a party of twelve Italians, alleged to have evaded the yellow fever blockade at New Orleans, had arrived here. An immediate investigation by the authorities disclosed the fact that the Italians spent Wednesday in Pittsburg and Thursday at the home of a countryman on Ann street, Homestead, and had later departed for New York. The health department quickly fumigated the Ann-street house and will maintain a strict quarantine for several days.

MUCH ADO ABOUT A COW.

Several Claimants, but Claude Russell Finally Got Her.

In Justice Barber's court yesterday a complicated cow case was tried. The parties to the suit were S. W. Banks and Claude Russell.

Recently Banks secured a writ of possession for the cow which was turned over to him, but by the judgment given at the trial yesterday the cow was never the property of Banks but belonged to Russell, it being a case of mistaken identity. The cow had been owned by six different people and her age was only the small number of five years. The cow has led a strenuous life to say the least of it.

About one year ago Banks, the plaintiff and huckster, sent a cow to the farm of R. L. Howell, near Maxon's Mill and Howell some time later claimed the cow broke her neck and died. Banks saw a cow of the same kind in the city and claimed it and secured it through legal proceedings, but later on a man came along and claimed the cow. Banks also claimed the cow and so did Russell, so there you are.

The hoof of a dead cow was used as testimony and about fifty negroes also.

WILL LET SENTENCE STAND.

Attorneys of Mrs. Brockwell Will Not Attempt to Prove Her Insane.

The fate of Mrs. Mary Brockwell, who killed her three little daughters by giving them morphine, will, no doubt, be a life imprisonment in the Frankfort state prison. The plea has been insanity and for that reason the sentence has never been imposed. She has been confined in jail since March 24 and no symptoms have developed to show that her mind is deranged. Her attorneys, H. S. Corbett and Wheeler Campbell have discarded the theory of insanity and will allow Judge Reed at the September term of court to let the sentence stand.

Mrs. Brockwell possesses a strange and undeveloped mind and appears to give no thought of the horrible crime she committed.

Acree & Neiman have secured the contract for building a four-room cottage for Mrs. R. G. Rouse at the rear of her property on North Sixth street.

IT DIDN'T WORK

The Pennsylvania Machine Offered Tempting Bait

BUT MAYOR WEAVER WAS NO SUCKER.

Conditions in State Under Gang Rule Described by Former Attorney General.

EFFORT TO HOLD POWER TO CONTINUE.

Westchester, Pa., Aug. 19.—At an independent Republican jubilee meeting here Wayne MacVeagh, former attorney general, made some sensational revelations regarding attempts of the Penrose-Durham ring of Philadelphia to "buy off" Mayor John Weaver, of Philadelphia, when he began his reform crusade. He declared they had vainly offered to make him a judge and then had offered him the governorship. He also denounced some high lights in the Philadelphia bar and bench for their "dirty work" at the behest of the Philadelphia machine. Mr. MacVeagh spoke after the meeting had rejected resolutions for harmony with the Eyre organization of the county, which is the local Quay organization. He said in part: "There is no occasion for any compromise whatever."

"I know where the resolutions offered you were drafted. I know where the trick attempted to be played upon you was prepared. These are but the tools of tools who are scheming. They represent nothing but obsequious to orders given to their masters, and they presume to be yours."

To Preserve the Machine.

"Everything is now to be sacrificed to preserve their state organization, an organization described by Secretary Root's burning words, 'A corrupt and criminal combination masquerading as Republicans.' Compromise? Why, they will offer you everything on earth. If you hold out a week later the state machine will offer you the necks of these men."

"All that they wish is to keep their hold on the county machines throughout the state, as in that manner they can control the legislature, and in that manner they can continue to rob the commonwealth and its great cities. You are but a fly upon their wheel."

"They are looking for the continuance of the great plunder they have so long enjoyed. They offer to you to repeal the infamous bills they infamously passed, to give you on their knees the personal registration bill they infamously refused you, and offer you joint primaries."

"Why, the Arcade building (Penrose's office) can send enough money here in an hour to buy every venal voter in every primary in this county."

"Offers to you? Why they are nothing compared to the offers they have been making for three months to John Weaver. There would be nothing in offers to you if he had failed you."

"First they said to him: 'Don't you want to be a judge?'"

"Yes, but not from you."

"Don't you want to be Governor?"

"Yes, but not from you."

"What do you want?"

"Nothing from them."

"Nothing under God's heaven from you, but to see you quit your dirty work."

"And so it went on until a week ago. They never abandoned the scheme of seducing him until a week ago, and then doubtless they said: 'We can't fool him; but we can fool the Republicans of each county in the state, and if we can hold the organizations in the counties of the state we can wipe John Weaver off the face of the earth.'"

"There is an old trick of the grafters. They run to some honest and decent lawyer, and they get him to give them an opinion which is bad policy and worse law. They did that in Philadelphia. The grafters there persuaded three eminent members of the bar to give an opinion that John Weaver could not remove the men he had appointed. Well, they were paid for it, no doubt."

"Then they induced two judges of the Common Pleas actually to issue an injunction against John Weaver, preventing him from turning out the men he had appointed, thinking they were honest."

"And then the people of Philadelphia

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The Week in Social Circles.

Visitors Entertained.

Wednesday evening last Miss Edna Bergdoll entertained in honor of Miss Maud Dacres, of Cairo, and Miss Alice Buddeke, of Louisville. Euchre was played. Those present were: Misses Maud Dacres, Alice Buddeke, Louise Detzel, Anna Harlin, Maggie Lydon, Arizona Blackburn, Marie Roth; Messrs. Clifford Blackburn, Dennis Halpin, William Rinehart, Frank Donovan, A. F. Roth, J. L. Roth, Joe Bergdoll. The first prize for the girls was captured by Miss Arizona Blackburn; visitors' prize was won by Miss Alice Buddeke, and the boys' prize by J. L. Roth. Refreshments were served.

Miss Dacres is the guest of Mrs. Don Gilberto, and Tuesday evening Mrs. Gilberto entertained in her honor, and many guests were present to accept the hospitality of Mrs. Gilberto and meet her fair guest.

A Wingo Marriage.

Wednesday morning last, at 6 o'clock, the marriage of Miss Amariis Crutchfield to Mr. W. B. Leech, took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crutchfield, in Wingo, this state. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. Wrenn Webb, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, of Sherman, Tex., officiating, in the presence of a few relatives, friends and intimate acquaintances. The Wingo Outlook says this marriage, while not a surprise, is the happy culmination of a courtship of some length, and the prominence of the contracting parties making the event one of great pleasure and wide note throughout the circle of an enumerable host of life-long intimate friends and acquaintances.

Return to Kentucky.

After touring many of the Western states, Miss Jean Todd, of Owensboro, and Miss Lulu Reed, of Paducah, have arrived in Owensboro on their return home. They had a most enjoyable trip while from the state visiting in California, Old Mexico and attended the fair at Portland besides stopping at many way points. Miss Reed will remain in Owensboro for several days, the guest of Miss Todd.

Boating Parties.

Tuesday evening last a delightful boating party was enjoyed by a number of young people. After a ride on the Ohio and Tennessee they crossed to the sandbar opposite this city and had a lunch. In the party

were: Miss Jane Carter, of Lexington; Miss Helen Ripy, of Lawrenceburg; Misses Martha Davis, Irene Scott, Louise Cox, Marjorie Scott, Frances Wallace, Mary Scott; Messrs. Louis Brownlow, E. R. Adams, Frank Davis, Robert Wallace, Morton Hand, Wallace Weil, Walter Iverson, Edwin J. Paxton.

There were several similar parties other evenings during the week, but the proper data for mentioning them is not at hand.

Guard Officers Entertained.

Thursday evening last at her residence at Eighth and Jefferson streets, Mrs. James M. Buckner entertained at dinner the officers attending the state encampment. The color scheme was red and white and a pretty center piece was formed of roses and red geraniums. The dinner was served in five courses. The ices were American beauty roses and white lilies. Covers were laid for ten. The guests were: Gen. Percy Haly, Major H. T. Gaines and Col. Guy Griggs, of Frankfort; Lieut. D. Y. Beckham, of Savannah, Ga.; Capt. Lamar Roy, of Louisville; Judge James Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. David C. Flournoy and Mrs. Carrie Ellis.

Another Governor's Dance.

Again this week Gov. Beckham and staff will come to Paducah to the state guards encampment. During the visit and on Wednesday evening the young men of the city will give the second of their series of dances for the governor and soldier boys at the Wallace Park pavilion. The governor will hold a public reception at his headquarters from 8:30 to 9:30, to which the general public will be invited. The list for the dance can be found at McPherson's drug store.

Mayfield Announcement.

Announcement is made of the coming marriage of Miss Nell Briggs and Mr. Walter F. Wright, prominent young society people of Mayfield. The wedding will take place Wednesday, October 4th, at the Mayfield Methodist church. Miss Briggs is the daughter of Mr. Ben F. Briggs, formerly editor of the Mayfield Monitor, and is a strikingly pretty brunette. Mr. Wright is a young tobaccoist of Mayfield, and belongs to one of the best families in Graves county.

A Card Party.

Wednesday afternoon last Miss Annie Mae Yeiser, at the rural home of

her father, Mayor Yeiser, delightfully entertained a goodly number of friends at cards, complimentary to Mrs. Harry Tandy, of Frankfort, and Miss Florence Pell, of Cincinnati. There were twelve tables devoted to the game, and after cards came seasonable refreshments. Miss Jane Carter, of Lexington, won the young ladies' prize, and Mrs. Harris Rankin the matron's prize.

Park Luncheon.

Last Tuesday evening a choice luncheon was enjoyed at Wallace Park by a crowd of young people, chaperoned by Mrs. George Clark. Among those present were: Misses Caroline Ham, Ruth Clark, Neil Schwab, Carrie Ewell, Marguerite Schwab, Ewell Ham; Messrs. Bratt Kennedy, J. B. Combs, H. P. Watson, Dr. G. B. Froage, Sergt. Wright and several other officers.

Mayfielders Wed.

Monday evening last Mr. Ira Nelson, a popular traveling salesman of the Merit Manufacturing Company, and Miss Pearl Flack, of Mayfield, the beautiful daughter of Mrs. Maggie Flack, were united in marriage. The bride is a niece of Mr. Harry George, of Paducah, who attended the wedding. The couple went to St. Louis on a bridal tour.

Entertained at Dinner.

The hospital corps of the state guards encampment last Monday evening at their quarters at Camp Yeiser delightfully entertained Miss Myrtle Decker, Miss Helen Decker, Miss Frances Wallace, Miss Corinne Winstead, Miss Lillie Mae Winstead and Mr. Fred Wade at a dinner. The occasion was most pleasing in all respects.

Children's Party.

Thursday afternoon Miss Irma Ross, at her home on Kentucky avenue, gave a children's party, in honor of Miss Ella Gardner, of New Albany, Ind. There was a large gathering of the younger people and a delightful afternoon was spent by them.

Coming From the Springs.

The weather the past week not being conducive to sojourning at the springs many visitors from the city have returned home. There are still many absentees, however.

MICE IN CITY VAULTS.

They Damage Greatly Books in Treasurer Dorian's Strong Box. City Treasurer John Dorian never was very fond of mice, and now he has less use for them than ever. A few days ago he had occasion to open the vault door when one of the house pests jumped out. Mr. Dorian was surprised and wondered how one of the creatures could exist so long without anything to eat, as he knew there was nothing in the vault very wholesome for it, and was consoling himself by saying "I'm glad there is nothing the mouse could damage in there." But here the official reckoned without his host, as upon examination he found that the mouse had eaten all the labels and backs off the tax books almost completely disfiguring the valuable books. Mr. Dorian is looking for a feline for his office.

City Clerk Henry Bailey says that the vault in his office is well supplied with mice, but as to what they could find to chew on has never been discovered.

NAMES AND PLACES.

Rich Anwell, of Henry county, is a lucky man if he is always as his name indicates he is.—Kansas City Star.

A. Worm is a citizen of St. Paul, and at a recent lodge entertainment he was called upon to do a turn.—Kansas City Journal.

J. A. Hightower attempted to commit suicide at Parsons, Kan., the other night by taking chloroform. He adopted the wrong method. He should have leaped from the top of his own name.—Topeka (Kan.) Journal.

Living near each other in Bates county are two men named Blackman and White. Blackman is a white man and White is a negro.—Kansas City Times.

Savannah is the home of a lawyer with the appropriate name of Fee.—Rockport (Mo.) Mail.

A man named Summers had a fight with another named Winters down in Ozark county recently. Summers made a spring and gained a fall. That ended the fight.—Platte City (Mo.) Landmark.

Services Today.

Rev. W. E. Cave will preach this morning at the First Presbyterian church on "The Wonder of God's Way." There will be no service at night.

Wife of New York broker, who leaves rich home and sleeps in the parks, is sent to Bellevue hospital for examination as to her mental condition.

Judge Ludwig, of Milwaukee, rules that the court cannot compel a witness to reveal grand jury secrets.

For perfection and purity smoke Elk Dream 100 cigar.

IN A TRANCE

THOUGH AS DEAD THIS YOUNG WOMAN LIES IN HER BED.

Though Bloom of Youth Is Upon Her Cheek, She Sleeps and Fails to Speak.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 19.—For four days Gertrude Vorwald, 21 years old, of 25 Stanard street, has lain almost like one dead, but the bloom of youth and health has not left her cheek. Last Monday Miss Vorwald arose at the usual hour, in her usual good spirits. She complained of no pain or illness. When breakfast was over she suddenly collapsed and sank in a huddled heap on the floor. In the four days that Miss Vorwald has been in this trance-like state her lips have been slightly parted in a tranquil smile. Her breathing is regular, but hardly perceptible. Occasionally she lifts her hands from the coverlet and makes vague, dreamy gestures. She sometimes stirs slightly. But for several hours at a time she will lie without any movement whatever. The spark of life has been kept burning by medicines and stimulants.

While the physicians admit they do not fully understand the case, they believe Miss Vorwald will return to consciousness just as suddenly as she entered the trance. In the meantime the most remarkable phase of the case is that she appears to be in as good health as ever. There is no pallor in her face. The blood is racing through her veins.

TWILIGHT CHAT.

If the same courtesy found in the other world was carried into the home there would be more harmony. For some undefined reason it is considered right and proper to be rude to our own. I mean rude in little things; there are no apologies for accidents, no respect for personal property or privacy, and one of the thousand and one little graces we practice in the homes of others. And the ugliness of it all preys upon our patience and good nature. But somehow we never search for the remedy.

Humanity is full of faults, but men and women in polite society do not uncover them. The code of good manners teaches them to ignore disagreeables and say and do unpleasant things. The same men and women go home and commit outrageous faults in good breeding by plain talk to the members of their families, by acts of rudeness that they know would not be tolerated elsewhere. Resentment against them makes trouble.

I remember the dislike I used to entertain towards a relative who never failed to remind me of an unwelcome crop of freckles. The spots were there, and I knew it, but my discomfort was intensified by that woman, who considered it her privilege to say what she pleased to a near relative. She would not have dreamed of saying such things, to anybody outside the family, of course, and my dislike flourished on that account. I do not believe that she would have relished a retaliation which I might have made with truth, for she was no beauty.

How many families are there where it is customary to knock before entering a bedroom or den or any other private apartment? Yet why should not such a custom prevail? Are there not countless times when we do not care to be disturbed or when we would like to have due notice of intruders? Most women, at all events, have ugly moments when it is not wise to be on exhibition, even to one's family. Every person's belongings should be safe from profane fingers. Few of us care to share our combs and brushes with the other members of the family or to have the contents of our bureaus and boxes stirred up by careless fingers. We may not realize why we feel so fretful over seemingly small matters, but the annoyance is unmistakable and is bound to make itself felt.

Courtesy should be uniform and those we love the first to whom it is shown. Ungliness should be covered as best it can and life made sweet and beautiful. A pleasant morning greeting and affectionate good-night parting are details which are never omitted in a few, a very few families, I know, and I venture to say that there is a deal less friction in those households than in others where they are omitted. They begin and end the day happily and that is half the battle. What happens to children who see father and mother treating each other with careless rudeness? Do they grow up to thoroughly respect either or make any pretense of it? Or do they take their cue and do their share of making discomfort and unpleasantness in the family? Example is everything, you know, and youngsters are quick to seize opportunities.

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Saturday, Matinee and Night—"On the Bridge at Midnight."

Though famous for its scenery, "On the Bridge at Midnight," Kliment and Gazzolo's great comedy-drama which is due here for Saturday matinee and night, is not a sensational play. Its merit is thoroughly substantial and genuine, being a combination of absorbing story and one of the most notable scenic achievements of the modern stage. The celebrated mechanical triumph, which gives the play its name, the bridge scene, is

sort, two characters in particular supplying it—Germany and Reddy—



Scene from "On the Bridge at Midnight," at The Kentucky, Saturday matinee and night.



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after all, only an incident in the story of a blind mother's devotion and a long search for her lost child. Her pathetic quest led her, in the city of Chicago, to the river at the point where Chicago's engineering triumph, the huge jackknife bridge, lifts and closes its huge valves every day to let steamers pass. This operation has been most faithfully imitated as well as the structure itself, at a cost of \$10,000, and five months labor yet, after all the scene, is merely an embellishment of the intensely dramatic narration of the sightless mother's search. The great valves rise and fall as they do in the original, and a steamer passes through in full view of the audience, but presently these incidents are absorbed into the progress of the story. While the main thread is of sorrow there is plenty of comedy of the bright, wholesome

and these are in the hands of two exceedingly clever actors. Sunshine and shadow follow each other through all the scenes with strong climaxes and scenery as natural as life, and all without resort to the harsh and unnatural excesses of sensational melodramas. Messrs. Kliment and Gazzolo are presenting "On the Bridge at Midnight" with an exceptionally strong company this season.

"Lord Baltimore," for one night only at The Kentucky Friday, August 25th.

This announcement is certainly a most pleasing one, as "Lord Baltimore" is a play that has more than the usual interest clustering around it. The story of "Lord Baltimore" is told in four acts. Each act abounds in startling situations, thrilling climaxes and funny comedy, telling a story of greatest heart's interest to all, full of love, pathos, crime and comedy, keeping the audience in laughter and tears from the time the curtain rises until the fall of the last curtain. There is not a dull moment during the whole evening. Special scenery and electrical effects for each act, and a number of high-class vaudeville artists will introduce new and novel specialties.

PRIMARY MONDAY

Democrats to Name Aldermen, Councilmen, Etc.

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Who the Candidates Are for the Several Places Which Are to be Filled.

POLL OFFICERS AND VOTING PLACES.

The Democratic city primary election will be held tomorrow. The nominations will be for a police judge, five aldermen, eight councilmen and seven school trustees.

The polls will open at 6 a. m. and close at 4 p. m.

There are six candidates for alderman, but only five are to be nominated from the city at large.

In the nominations for councilmen one is to be nominated from the First ward, one from the Second, one from the Third, two from the Fourth, two from the Fifth and one from the Sixth.

For school trustees, one is to be nominated from the First ward, one from the Second, one from the Third, two from the Fourth, one from the Fifth and one from the Sixth. So far reported there is only one change in the election officers. In the Rogers precinct Mr. James Wilcox will serve in place of Mr. Arthur Bailey.

The following is the list of candidates for the respective offices:

Aldermen.
Ed Nance, L. E. Durrett, Dick Davis, H. M. Orme, W. M. Kraus and A. W. Greif.
Police Judge.
D. L. Sanders and Geo. C. Diuguid.
Councilmen.
First Ward—S. B. Gott, Fred Gallmon, Walter Pell.
Second Ward—John Rehkopf and Jo Flisch.
Third Ward—Ed Gilson and Geo. Walters.
Fourth Ward—Young Taylor, Chas. M. Leake and Ernest Lackey.
Fifth Ward—W. P. Hummel, J. P.

McCarthy and George Shelton.
Sixth Ward—T. A. Jones.
School Trustees.
First Ward—D. L. Adams and C. W. Morrison.
Second Ward—B. T. Davis.
Third Ward—Arch T. Sutherland.
Fourth Ward—J. A. Cole, A. F. Greif and Frank Rodfus.
Fifth Ward—Joe Riglesberger.
Sixth Ward—Henry Satzgriver.

Officers of Polls.
The following gentlemen were appointed to conduct the primary as election officers:

Berry's—J. Henry Smith, clerk; John Dean, sheriff; Gus Singleton and J. E. Potter, judges.
Plow Factory—Walter Ingram, clerk; Sam Holland, sheriff; Ira McMahon and A. W. Barkley, judges.
Henneberger's—James Brown, clerk; James Baker, sheriff; Wm. Little and Pat Lally, judges.
Gallman's—T. M. Nance, clerk; Jacobs, sheriff; Row Housman and Ed Baker, judges.
Warehouse—Clem Fransioli, clerk; Amos Price, sheriff; Charles Robertson and Charles Fiske, judges.
Roger's—Jas. H. Wilcox, clerk; A. W. Townsend, sheriff; Wm. Parham and James Campbell, Jr., judges.
Kirkpatrick's—W. L. Miller, clerk; M. G. Caldwell, sheriff; Clyde Cooper and W. B. Walters, judges.
Savage's—Jas. S. Caldwell, clerk; W. C. Bradley, sheriff; J. A. Dossett and J. P. Holt, judges.
Yancy's—Miles Stewart, clerk; J. N. Moore, sheriff; J. B. Gilbert and W. N. Hines, judges.
Chalk's—Lewis Farrar, clerk; J. C. Lindsey, sheriff; Jo Mattison and J. H. Linn, judges.
Glauber's—John Ketter, clerk; Terrell Overstreet, sheriff; E. B. Richardson and M. V. B. Williams, judges.
North side Court House—Jesse Ulman, clerk; D. E. Lewis, sheriff; Jo Ulman and S. J. Hinton, judges.
Schmidt's—H. A. Katterjohn, clerk; J. A. Cole, sheriff; R. J. Williams and Sam Sneed, judges.
Southside Court House, No. 2—F. G. Rudolph, clerk; J. M. Hedges, sheriff; H. G. Brazelton and G. M. Kettinger, judges.
Diegel's—J. J. Roof, clerk; J. Q. Thompson, sheriff; F. S. Diegel and Jo Lockwood, judges.
Southside Fire Department—W. T. Byrd, clerk; R. H. Yarbro, sheriff; Charles Etter and Jno. Leech, judges.
Southside Court-house, No. 1—J. H. Wilcox, clerk; Judge Bethshares, sheriff; J. M. Hart and I. M. Anderson, judges.
Butler's—G. O. Ingram, clerk; W.

A. Walker, sheriff; A. F. Crouch and Robert Lax, judges.

Location of Voting Places.
Berry's—Robertson's stable, foot Harrison street.
Plow Factory—Sixth and Trimble.
Henneberger's—Wooden's shop.
Gallman's—Gallman's store.
Warehouse—Foreman's, Broadway.
Rogers—Twelfth and Broadway.
Kirkpatrick's—W. M. Gannon's wall paper store.
Savage's—Sexton's paint shop, Sixteenth street.
Yancy's—Union Drug Co., West Tennessee street.
Chalk's—Chalk's store, South Third street.
Glauber's—Glauber's stable, South Third street.
N. S. C. H.—Circuit court room.
S. S. C. H. No. 1—County court room.
S. S. C. H. No. 2—Lightfoot's office.
Schmit's—Ripley's drug store, Eleventh and Caldwell.
Deigels—Deigels' paint shop.
Butler's—Gilbert's drug store.
S. S. Fire Department—Fire Station No. 2.

WOMAN CONVERT SPIRITED AWAY.

Sooboanagam Ammal Kidnaped While Driving Through Village.

New York, August 19.—The office of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church was advised today by Bishop Wm. F. Oldham, missionary bishop for Southern Asia, that on July 18 Sooboanagam Ammal, of Madras, had been kidnaped.

For ten years Sooboanagam Ammal has been the most important woman convert from Brahminism to Christianity in Madras. She came from the Pantula sect, the priestly class and strictest sect of the high caste Hindus. Her father was the first to take a double degree in the University of Madras. Later he became one of the examiners of the university and was high in the government service. Her uncle is the great high priest over the Salve Brahmins. Sooboanagam Ammal was in the United States from April 26, 1900, to October 30, 1901.

It was while driving in her bullock cart among the villages that she was forcibly seized, hurried into a closed carriage and driven off. In his letter Bishop Oldham says:

"We are doing all that can be done for Sooboanagam Ammal's recovery, but only those who know India can estimate the apparent hopelessness of it all."

EXCITEMENT AT SARATOGA.

Caused by Explosions Near Two Gambling Resorts.

Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Two loud explosions in quick succession in different sections of Saratoga startled visitors late last evening and set afoot stories about dynamite plots. While very little actual damage was done there can be no doubt that some violent explosive was used. The question is whether it was the work of a practical joker or of some person intending mischief, who failed to carry out his plans.

Later in the night several crudely printed slips were found in the corridor of a leading hotel, asserting that dynamite in large quantities had been found in the two clubhouses and warning people to be careful. These slips lead the police to believe that the explosions were the work of a fanatic.

MURDERED IN HIS HOME.

James York the Victim of a Foul Crime in Anderson County.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Aug. 19.—Jas. York, an aged and wealthy resident, was murdered yesterday at his home on Fox Creek, about seven miles from here. The object of the crime is not known.

Mr. York, who was eighty-five years old, lived with his niece and her husband. They went to Lawrenceburg yesterday morning, and did not return until 5 o'clock in the evening, when to their horror they discovered Mr. York's corpse lying on a sofa in the hall, with his head blown off. A shotgun was doubtless the weapon used.

Bloodhounds have been procured, and search is being made for the murderers.

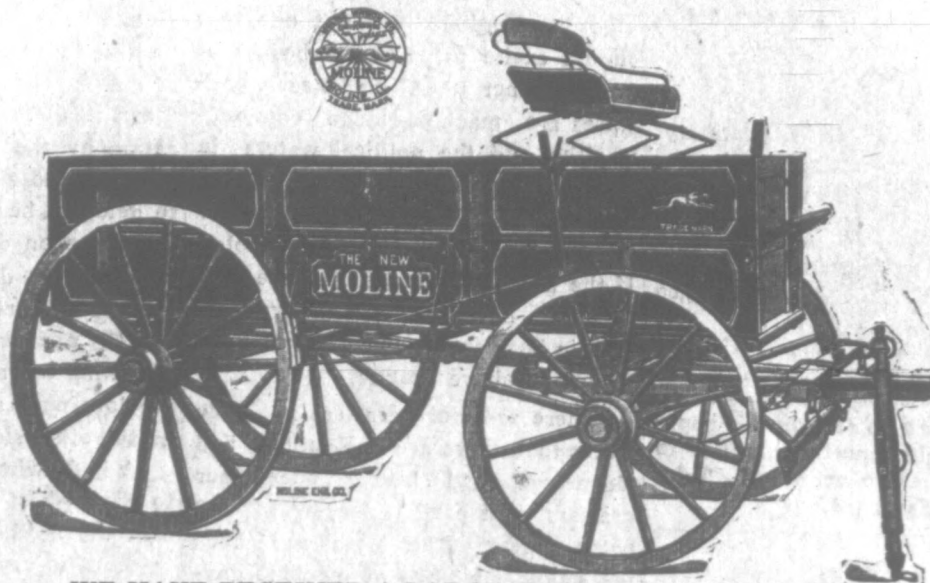
HORSE COMES HOME AFTER LONG ABSENCE.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 19.—John Dickerson, a farmer residing in Owen county near the Franklin line, was much surprised yesterday to find at his barn door a horse which had strayed or been stolen from him eight years ago. The animal had not been seen in the neighborhood since its disappearance. Several neighbors of Dickerson identified the horse as his property.

Paducahans Win.

A Paducah firm is again a successful bidder in a big contract. Mr. Charles Robertson has returned from Hopkinsville, where his firm, Robertson & Gardner, landed a \$225,000 contract to build seven miles of sanitary sewerage. There were several big competitors. The Paducah firm expects to begin the work August 28th, and complete it in six months.

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Sunday Morning, Aug. 20, 1905.

Public Men of Today.

Never before in the history of this country have conditions equalled those of today in the matter of public men and the conduct of public affairs. Graft and corruption are to be found on every hand and the daily exposures heralded by the press are causing the American people to wonder how long this sort of thing will last. We will answer that problem for them. It will last just as long, and grow worse and worse until the citizen appreciates his vote at its true value, and learn that unless he, in common with the good people, takes it upon himself to speak out and act for his country's good that the whole governmental fabric will become so polluted and rotten that the world will be convinced that a republican form of government is a delusion and a snare. Millions of good citizens suffer themselves to be guiled into the question of party politics, and permits the professional politician and blatherskite to play upon what he is pleased to call partisanship and be whipped into line to vote for men who are put forward by certain interests for the sole purpose of using him in their behalf after he is inducted into office. A grafter, a bribe-giver, a bribe-taker or a thief is just as much a grafter, a bribe-giver, a bribe-taker or a thief be he a democrat or a republican, and when a voter places his party above his country, he is not a good citizen. Political parties are all right up to the point where they become indifferent to the character of men whom they suffer to be nominated, but whenever the active men deliberately plan to so conduct entries for the nominations so as to saddle grafters and bribe-givers or bribe-upon the party, right there and then the rank and file of that party should right about face and walk over to the other side and make the defeat of such gentry certain and sure. When this is done our public affairs will soon be in the hands of honest men. As matters now stand we are gradually reaching the point where men of respectability would no more think of running for an office than they would of invading a land of pestilence and contagious diseases, and as a consequence we are now well into the era of small bore public men especially in Kentucky and Tennessee, a subject so ably treated by the Knoxville, (Tenn.) Journal and Tribune of a few days ago which said:

"Kentucky and Tennessee were for a good many years very much like twin sisters. Kentucky is, however, four years the senior of Tennessee, as a state, having come into the sisterhood in 1792, while Tennessee came in four years later, in 1796. The population of the one when admitted as a state was almost the same as the other, each having about 75,000. There is no great difference in the area of the two states, but Kentucky is ahead of us some in population.

"Kentucky has had some great men in the past, and they were about as popular in Tennessee as they were at home. Henry Clay was the idol of the Tennessee whigs and in 1844 the electoral vote of the state was cast for Clay against her own illustrious son, James K. Polk. Kentucky got even with us in 1860 by casting her electoral vote for Tennessee's John Bell, against her own distinguished son, John C. Breckenridge. There has always been a close feeling of affinity between the two states.

"In another column, we copy an editorial from the Paducah Register, a

democratic paper, whose editor is a native of Tennessee, but a citizen of Kentucky, in which the editor points out what, to his mind, are points of resemblance in conditions prevailing. As he draws the picture in clear and vigorous English, it is not one that should excite pride in the bosom of men of either state. As he sees, both states are machine-ridden commonwealths, and the political waters in which whales once lived and thrived and commanded admiration, are now inhabited by minnows and tadpoles. If the world is to judge by those seen in public life, there are many great men in both states under ground; but not many above ground.

"There are more grafters in some states than there are in Kentucky and Tennessee, and bigger ones; our grafters even partake largely of the petty variety. Both states have been the helpless victims of machine government, not of choice, but on account of the complacency of the people, their indifference to their conditions and their indisposition to engage in a clearing of the Augean stable. But there are signs of an awakening. There are a great many people who are tired of having their business that should be well done, poorly done by those who don't know how and don't care. When the people of these and of all the other states arise in their might and resolve that the machine product shall be ruled out of the market, it will be done. Then conditions will prevail that will open the way for the coming of greater and better men into public life."

Tariff Reform Is Necessary.

The reciprocity convention held in Chicago the past week most favorably impressed the Chicago Chronicle, which is decidedly republican. The Chronicle thinks the actions of the conference worthy of weight especially because of the character of the delegates, and it significantly points to the fact that the delegation was "essentially republican," adding in plain words that a body whose judgment is entitled to the highest respects has declared that a needed reform is attainable without injury to industry, trade or wages and it is up to the lawmakers to act or prove the judgment of the body a mistake. The Chronicle in an editorial review of the convention's declarations says:

"The reciprocity conference lately held in Chicago called together an exceptional body of men as regards both character and ability. From the political point of view it was essentially republican, as was eminently proper, inasmuch as the existing tariff policy of the country is a work of the republican party. There was in it a sufficiently large representation of practical politics and practical law-making to safeguard the body from mere visionary theorizing about impractical things, and mainly it was made up of men who have proved their efficiency and sagacity in the actual industrial and commercial development of the country.

"It is obvious that such a body of men, of upright character, strong native sense and much actual business experience, must be far better equipped for the consideration of commercial and industrial questions than our congress or than any other body made up without these special considerations.

"One may, therefore, fairly regard it as about as conclusive as when a learned court has handed down a decision of any legal problem that on the main question this body declared unequivocally, in the third article of its platform, as the resolutions adopted may be called, 'That it is the sense of this convention that our present tariff affords abundant opportunity for such concessions without injury to industry, trade or the wages of labor.'

"The concessions referred to are declared necessary to relieve the 'strained situation' brought on by the excessive rates in our present tariff. Concessions, therefore, mean reduction of those rates, and that ranges from a reduction of the smallest fraction of a cent to the very least margin short of entire abrogation and no doubt including abrogation in some cases.

"On the central and vital fact that the present tariff imperatively needs reforming—that is to say, reducing—and that that need for reduction is the cause of the commercial hostility so widely felt towards us and so rapidly taking shape in active measures—on these points we are all agreed.

"We are all agreed that action should be taken to remedy these conditions 'at the earliest time possible,'

as the conference declared in another resolution. "There seems no doubt that those who thus agreed on a policy of grave moment constitute a large majority of the whole people. The only difference among us is on the method that may be best to pursue. There is no shade of difference as to the end.

"In this condition the vital thing is action by the law-making body, not allowing those who oppose all action to defeat it because its supporters do not agree on detail of method. The only way to determine how far any method will prove efficacious is to try it. No one ever yet crossed a river by sitting down on the bank and gazing longingly at the delectable fields on the other side.

"A body whose judgment is entitled to the highest respect has declared that the needed reform is attainable 'without injury to industry, trade or the wages of labor.'

"The law-makers' duty is to act or at once prove this judgment mistaken. The conditions could be no more conservative nor stronger stated. Such admissions from a leading republican paper should encourage the people to expect the tariff reform which is necessary to the welfare of the people and the continued prosperity of the country.

It would appear from last night's reports that if there is peace in the far East it will have to come through suggestion or influence of the powers. It is pretty clear that both the Russians and the Japanese are of the mettle to fight it out with bull dog tenacity rather than to show the white feather too plainly. But the powers are moving in the matter and there may yet be a compromise of differences and a cessation of the war already historical for its flow of blood and destruction of property.

PARTIAL REST

WILL MAKE CAMP YEISER A QUIET PLACE TODAY.

This Week Gov. Beckham Comes Again, After Which the First Regiment Departs.

The state guards encamped at Wallace Park will today have partial rest from the routine work of the camp. However, they will observe the mount exercises and appear in dress parade this evening. They will also be lectured on discipline.

Though Saturday, like Sunday, is rather a quiet day in camp life, there were many spectators out from the city, especially during the dress parade drill. This is particularly an attractive feature to the ladies.

The second visit of Gov. Beckham will be made Wednesday, when he will review the regiment. His coming is looked forward to with interest both by the soldiers and the public.

On the 24th the First regiment will take its departure from camp, and on the 26th the Third regiment will come for a ten-days' stay. The Third is composed of companies from Owensboro, Bowling Green, Hopkinsville, Henderson, Mayfield, Earlington, Central City and Madisonville, under the command of Col. Jett Henry, of Hopkinsville, and Lieut. Col. E. H. Watt, of Bowling Green.

The coming and stay of the Third regiment will close the encampment season, much to the regret of the participants and many Paducahans who have come to find pleasure and profit in the encampment.

Realty Transfers.

More deeds were filed yesterday with the county clerk for record than any day of last week. They were as follows:

Brack Owen and others, to Charles Gilman, property in Rowlandtown, \$110.

R. D. Thompson to M. P. Gordon, property in county, \$900.

W. H. Morris to John W. Morris, land in county, \$500.

Frank Stevenson and wife to J. C. Ogden, lot in Taylor and McQuat's addition, \$500.

M. M. Willett to Jasper Yopp, land in county, \$700.

Jasper Yopp to M. M. Willett, land in county, \$1,000.

Kate Donovan and John Donovan, to W. O. Martin, property on north side of Jefferson street, \$350.

The announcement is made at Florence, Ala., that the I. C. railroad company is behind the project to build the recently surveyed Industrial railroad from Dickson, Tenn., to Florence. The announcement gives the people of Florence great faith in the ultimate building of the projected line.

20c a Week for The Register.

FRAUD UNEARTHED

In Classification of Cuban Leaf Tobacco.

THIS TIME CUSTOMS GRAFTERS ARE FOUND.

Discrimination in Matter of Rates Causes Shippers to Send Wrappers as Fillers.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT TO INVESTIGATE.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 19.—The United States Tobacco Journal of New York City, the leading tobacco trade paper, today calls attention to a peculiar state of affairs in the customs division of the treasury department, which is now under investigation by that department.

If the facts already in the possession of the Tobacco Journal are supplemented by details procured by the treasury agents the scandal promises to be one that will put those in the postoffice and other departments in the shade, as it is possible the government has been defrauded of hundreds of thousands of dollars in revenue.

The whole matter hinges on the classification of Cuban leaf tobacco, which pays 35 cents per pound duty as filler leaf and \$1.85 per pound duty as wrapper leaf. The difference of \$1.50 per pound in lots of from 50 to 500 bales is sufficiently large to lead to frequent attempts to pass wrapper leaf through the customs house as filler, and as tobacco is a very difficult product to properly classify, the opportunity for fraud has long been recognized and the department has for years favored a uniform rate of duty, which would eliminate the incentive for this fraud.

The case now under investigation is that of a shipment of more than 100 bales of tobacco, 108 to be exact, from a small manufacturing concern in Tampa, Fla., to a large firm of cigar manufacturers in New York City.

Was Being Investigated.

The circumstances under which this shipment was made were sufficiently suspicious to attract the attention of officials of the department, and the case was being quietly investigated when the United States Tobacco Journal became possessed of the facts. From information now in the hands of the department it appears that some time since a large quantity of tobacco was shipped from Havana to a small manufacturing firm in Tampa, enough it is said, to last that firm for over a year.

Recently the shipment, or almost all of it, was quietly withdrawn, not all at once, but in several lots, by the Tampa firm, and shipped to a large New York firm of manufacturers, the total amount being 108 bales. If this tobacco is filler leaf the department will have no criticism to make, but if it should prove to be wrapper leaf, there will be much trouble, for something like \$15,000 difference in duties is involved.

Three important firms are connected with the transaction. The Havana firms consigning the tobacco, the Tampa firm first receiving it and the New York firm to which it was finally shipped. The New York and Havana firms are large and important houses, and as the New York firm has Havana connections, and the Havana firm ships direct to New York, the treasury department is at a loss to understand why the Havana leaf dealers should have shipped to the New York cigar manufacturers through a Tampa firm, especially as freight charges are so much higher by water and rail than by water alone.

The New York cigar leaf board of trade is greatly interested in the matter and will probably call it to the attention of the National Cigar Tobacco Association, of which A. Bijur, of New York is president. The officers of both organizations reside in New York City.

Long Under Suspicion.

The clear Havana Manufacturer Association of the United States which has also its headquarters in New York and which includes the leading manufacturers of Clear Havana cigars in this country, is also very much interested. The Washington representative of this association admitted today that he was aware the treasury department was investigating the matter, but declined to discuss it for publication. He stated, however, that he understood that tobacco landed on the piers of New York direct from Cuba was likely to be in better condition than when landed at Tampa, kept some time in a bonded warehouse and then shipped by rail to New York, so that he could not understand why enough tobacco to make one million cigars, if it is filler leaf, should have been shipped to New York under such circumstances.

The inspection of tobacco at Tampa and Key West has long been under the suspicion of tobacco trade in general and the treasury department has been keeping close tab on it. During the past few years a number of more

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important firms of cigar manufacturers have either removed from New York and other large cities to Tampa and Key West or have established branch factories there.

As there is but little difference in the freight rates on the raw material between Havana and New York and Havana and Tampa, and the labor conditions in New York are vastly superior to those of Tampa, the trade is suspicious that the classification of leaf tobacco at the Florida ports has something to do with the case.

UNINTERESTING BUSINESS.

The City Court Yesterday Grew Suddenly Very Dull.

Special Judge D. A. Cross had very little business on the docket yesterday morning when he convened city court. There were only three cases before him and they were disposed of in quick time.

"Peanut" Jack Crane, for a good old fashion booze vacation was allowed to sober and given a brace at the rate of \$1 and costs.

Emma Toliver, a black spot on colored "sawdust," was dismissed on the charge of stealing a comb from Stephenson's drug store.

Jack Kelley was allowed to go on his way rejoicing. He was arrested for throwing a dead dog in the river.

"Hello! and How-do-You-Do?"

(Anonymous.)

If you see a man in woe, Walk right up and say "Hello!" Say "Hello!" and "How do you do?" Say it so it rings out true.

Slap the fellow on his back—Bring your hand down with a whack; Don't be slow—walk right up, shake, smile and say "Hello!"

If he rags from top to toe, Walk right up and say "Hello!" Poverty is no disgrace; Look at him straight in the face. Rags are but a cotton roll, Just for wrapping up a soul, And a soul is worth a true "Hello!" and "How do you do?"

Other folks are as good as you; Say "Hello!" and "How do you do?" Say it, too, as though 'twere meant—Surely that don't cost a cent. Fortune's fickle; some dark day Poverty may cross your way, And 'twould then be sweet you know, to hear an old friend say "Hello!"

—The piping for the storm water sewers for Kentucky avenue and Jefferson street has arrived and is being placed on the ground preparatory to beginning work Monday.

EX-GOV. "BOB" TAYLOR

At The Kentucky, Monday Night, Aug. 21.

For The Benefit of The Paducah Traveling Mens' Association. The Subject of His Lecture Will Be His Famous
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NOW ORGANIZED

NEW HEALTH BOARD GETS ITSELF IN SHAPE FOR WORK.

Dr. C. H. Brothers is Made Chairman—Quarantine Question Is Again Up, but Deferred.

The board of health which was elected at the joint council meeting Friday night, met and organized yesterday afternoon. Those present were: Mayor D. A. Yeiser, Health Officer W. T. Graves, Drs. J. G. Brooks, H. P. Sights and Abe Anspacher. Mayor Yeiser acted as temporary chairman, and Dr. C. H. Brothers was elected president of the board of health.

The matter of quarantining against the South and all infected districts was brought before the board by Mayor Yeiser. There was much discussion pro and con, but the action was deferred until Monday afternoon, when the city and county boards of health will hold a joint conference regarding the quarantine question.

Dr. A. T. McCormack, of the State Board of Health, who is in camp here, will be invited to be present at the joint meeting of the health boards.

Dr. Sights and Mr. Anspacher were named as a committee to investigate the recent charges preferred against Sanitary Inspector Henry Brush, by Dr. Pendley.

NOT THE MAN WANTED.

Will Jackson Is Released On Charge of Shooting.

It develops that the negro, Will Jackson, who was arrested here a few days ago by Sheriff Edwards, of Paris, on a warrant from Gadsden, Tenn., was not the person wanted. Jackson was charged with shooting at a white man with intent to kill, and was taken to Gadsden for identification. There are several negroes here named Will Jackson, and the one arrested answered in every way to the description sent out by the Tennessee officers. Sheriff Harris was very certain that he had captured the right negro.

Jackson yesterday telephoned here to Mr. A. C. Blackwell, in whose saloon he was porter, stating that he had been released from custody and was en route to Paducah.

A. E. CO.'S HANDSOME OFFICE

Thoroughly Reconstructed and Modernized in All Respects.

One of the handsomest offices of its character in the state and the most complete in every detail is the office of the American Express Company in this city. It is as handsomely furnished and in appearance looks like a bank.

The work of placing this office in its present condition required almost two months of continuous labor by the most skillful mechanics. Those who saw the office in its former condition would hardly recognize the present office as at least being within the same room. At the front is Mr. Lagerwall, the local agent's private desk and office, and adjoining it is a neat enclosure supplied with writing table for guests, especially ladies, as a waiting retreat. The departments for the cashier, drivers and messengers are all separate, under lock and key, and surrounded with steel netting. All the fixtures are of the antique oak variety. A new floor has been put in the building and other attractive additions is the wall paper and metallic ceiling, while the conveniences are of the most modern kind. No other city the size of Paducah has such an elegantly equipped office, and Mr. Lagerwall has just reasons to be proud of his location. It is the intention of the American Express Company to make all their offices in the various cities of the same uniformity, and the Paducah office will be used as a criterion for the others.

WILL BE FINISHED TUESDAY.

Part of Evidence in Murray Bankruptcy Case Heard.

Attorney E. W. Bagby returned last night from Murray, where he went as trustee in bankruptcy to hear the testimony in the bankruptcy case of Will Harris & Co. A portion of the testimony was presented and the meeting adjourned until Tuesday, when an election of trustees in the case will take place. Harris & Co. recently filed a petition in bankruptcy giving their liabilities as over \$20,000, with assets amounting to about \$18,000.

Attorney Joe Grogan, of the city, also went to attend the meeting as representative of several creditors.

Miss Clyde Johnson, of the East Tennessee Telephone Company, has returned from a visit to Mt. Vernon, Ind.

LIVELY ROWS

WHITE MEN FIGHT AND ONE USES BRICK ON THE OTHER.

Negroes Indulge in Mischief and One is Slightly Stabbed With Pocket Knife.

Douglas Mains and Bob Tidwell, both young white men, engaged in an altercation yesterday afternoon at Fifth and Norton streets. The encounter was moving along very briskly, the only weapons used being their fists, but the tug of war became too warm for Mains and securing a brick, he struck Tidwell on the head, producing an ugly wound. This ended the battle and Officers Dugan and Senger appeared and escorted the belligerents to the City Hall. Mains is employed at the Paducah Furniture Company's plant, and Tidwell is a painter.

Another scrap occurred about the same hour at the coal elevator at the foot of Ohio street. Two negroes pulled off a spectacular drama. John Ewell and Sam Benson participated in a fight and Benson was stabbed in the left side with a knife in the hands of Ewell. The injury is not thought to be serious.

IT DIDN'T WORK

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phia showed they were in no mood to be trifled with, and then two Republican judges of the Supreme court tore the injunction into tatters, and then the three eminent lawyers, I hope having first received their fees, ran away from their own opinion and left the two poor judges in a most unenviable place."

Meets Monday Night.

The city council will meet Monday night in regular session at which time several new ordinances will be presented for their initial reading. One of most importance will be one calling for the sale of a public ferry franchise.

An ordinance governing the running of the street cars will be read.

See a Week for The Register.

THE CORONER CONTEST.

Promise Good for Candidates Galore and Lively Race.

The contest for the democratic nomination for coroner promises to prove quite interesting. Chairman A. W. Berry, of the democratic committee, announces that he will call the committee together the latter part of the month to decide on the manner of selecting the nominee.

Mr. Charles Crow, son of J. F. Crow, deceased, the late coroner, will be a candidate for the nomination and will so announce tomorrow probably.

Mr. C. W. Emery is being mentioned as a probable candidate, while Mr. Mann Clark and Harry Allen are already avowed aspirants for the nomination.

Among the prospective candidates for coroner is H. Ackerman, the second-hand dealer of East Kentucky avenue. His friends are urging him to enter the handicap and has the matter under consideration.

A CHILD'S MISFORTUNE.

Lost the Left Forearm by a Serious Fall.

The left forearm of Hattie Davis, the 5-year-old daughter of W. R. Davis, living near the city on the Mayfield road, was amputated yesterday by Dr. D. G. Murrell, assisted by Dr. J. W. Pendley.

The child fell from a horse Thursday and fractured the arm so that the bones protruded through the flesh. The injury was so bad that the physicians decided that the arm should be amputated. The injured member was amputated just above the elbow.

The girl is a sister of Miss Maud Davis, of the Ely Dry Goods Company.

The mother of the child had placed two of her little daughters on a horse and was leading the animal when the horse suddenly turned and caused both children to fall off.

Several Local Creditors.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed yesterday by Walter B. Ford, a merchant at Boaz, Graves county. The liabilities are placed at \$1,307 and assets at \$1,127. The Paducah creditors are: S. Fels & Co., \$92; Weeks Bros. & Co., \$228; Scott Hardware Co., \$70; Paducah Glass and Queensware Co., \$68.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Clark and little son, Hal, of St. Louis, left yesterday for Lexington, Tenn., after a visit to Capt. and Mrs. W. C. Clark.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

MEETING OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CALLED FOR MONDAY NIGHT.

Next Month the Schools Open and Promise Is for an Increase of Scholars.

There will be a called meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, of the school board. The session will be held at the high school building. Dr. Harry Williamson issued the call Saturday afternoon.

The main purpose of the meeting is to elect janitors for the various school buildings and to select a successor as teacher to Miss Kirk, who resigned to accept a Louisville position.

All of the city schools will open next month and a much larger attendance than ever before is predicted. Many families have moved to the city during the past few months, coming in from all over the country.

Supt. C. M. Leib is laboring hard to get matters in shape for the opening of the schools. If the overflow of new scholars is even beyond expectations there will be room to accommodate them. Last season the high school Jefferson and Franklin buildings were overcrowded and extra rooms were supplied. At present there is but one more room in the high school building now occupied by desks and this is the one occupied by Supt. Leib as an office. This will be vacated, Mr. Leib has announced, when the occasion demands, and his office will be moved to the board of education room.

Desks will be placed in two rooms of the Garfield building this week and also the rooms of the Mc McKinley building in Mechanicsburg, which is almost completed.

The new changes in school books is applicable only to the county, as the changes for the city went into effect last season.

The only change in city books will be that the Prang system of drawing will be substituted.

Wants a Divorce.

After four years of married life Frank Andres has instituted a suit for divorce against his wife, Myrtle Andres, giving abandonment as his cause for action. This case was filed yesterday in the circuit court.

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Five Bicycles Stolen.
The bicycle thieves did a land office business yesterday. The disappearance of five bicycles in one day was reported to police headquarters.

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No let up on our great sale of remnants at cut prices.

McCall's September Magazine at 5c. Short length brown Domestic at 5c, McCall's stylish patterns at 15c.

Scotch Lawns at 3/4c a yard. Handsome steel ribbed silk Umbrellas at \$1 each.

The biggest bargains of the season in blue and white bead Necklaces at 5c, sold by others at 10c and 15c each.

Another lot of women's pretty white Belts and Collars for only 10c waist bargains are rare indeed.

WOMEN'S SKIRTS REDUCED.

The Skirts you'll need, the skirts you'll want. Our August prices are a great saving. Many are a fourth and a third less than actual value. To not buy during this sale is to lose money.

We are making a clean sweep of Just received one case of men's shirt-pants bought at a bargain. This lot includes fancy and black worsteds,

fourth, a third and a half less than also striped chevrons and will be sold \$4.98 each. value. Not enough of a kind to quote at \$1 a pair.

prices. You'll miss a bargain if you miss them.

CLOTHING.

If you don't buy clothing here you don't buy clothing right.

Men's suits in fancy Worsteds, double-breasted and military cuts, worth \$15.00 to \$16.00 Choice \$10.00.

Just received one case of men's shirt-pants bought at a bargain. This lot includes fancy and black worsteds,

fast colors, at 25c each. One case of men's Madras Shirts in at 75c each.

One lot of boys' knee pants suits, ages 5 to 15, worth \$1.75 to \$2.00, go in this sale at \$1 a suit.

Fine straw and Panama hats at cost. Men's sample fur hats at \$1, worth double.

Fine leather suit cases, worth \$4.00 for \$2.98 each.

Fine \$7.00 leather suit cases for which are worth up to \$3.00 a pair.

A big sale of women's shoes with soft kid uppers and flexible soles, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 a pair.

Women's Red Cross shoes, with rubber heels, for this sale at only \$1.00 a pair. Be quick if you want these comfortable shoes at this little price.

A GREAT CUT PRICE SALE OF SHOES, SLIPPERS AND OXFORD TIES.

Extraordinary bargains in men's Oxford Ties at \$1.35, \$2.00 and \$2.50, worth up to \$3.50 a pair.

An unprecedented but low price sale of women's Oxford Ties and Slippers pair. Sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2 and 11 at 90c a pair. Sizes 11 1/2, 12, 12 1/2, 13, 13 1/2, 14, 14 1/2 and 15 at \$1 a pair.

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Women's Red Cross shoes, with rubber heels, for this sale at only \$1.00 a pair. Be quick if you want these comfortable shoes at this little price.

A SALE OF CHILDREN'S FINE KID SCHOOL SHOES AT CUT PRICES.

Sizes 6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2 and 8 at 72c a pair. Sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2 and 11 at 90c a pair. Sizes 11 1/2, 12, 12 1/2, 13, 13 1/2, 14, 14 1/2 and 15 at \$1 a pair.

For which are worth up to \$3.00 a pair.

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KEEPS HIS WORD

Emperor Nicholas Grants Reforms to Russia.

NATIONAL CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY ESTABLISHED.

First Meeting of the New Assembly Will be Held the Coming January.

THE PEOPLE WIN A DELAYED VICTORY.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 19.—Emperor Nicholas has announced the grant to the people of Russia of a national consultative assembly, to be formed by elected representatives from the whole of Russia. The imperial manifesto, which is published simultaneously here and at Moscow, and which will be read in all the churches of the empire, is dated at Peterhof, and is as follows:

"The Empire of Russia is formed and strengthened by the indestructible solidarity of the Emperor with the people and of the people with the Emperor. This concord of Emperor and people is the great moral force which has created Russia in the course of centuries by protecting her from all misfortunes and all attacks, and has constituted up to the present time a pledge of unity, independence, integrity, material well-being and intellectual development.

"In our manifesto of Feb. 24, 1903, we called to a close understanding all the faithful sons of the fatherland in order to protect the organization of the state by establishing on a firm basis the domestic life of the Empire, and then we devoted ourselves to the task of co-ordinating elective public institutions with governmental authorities and of removing the disagreements existing between them which has reached so disastrously on the normal course of our national life.

"The autocratic Emperors, our ancestors, continually had that object in view, and the time has come to follow out their good intentions and to summon elected representatives from the whole of Russia to take constant and active part in the elaboration of the laws, thereby attaching to the higher state institutions a special consultative body entrusted with the preliminary elaboration and discussion of the measures and with the examination of the state budget.

A Lower Assembly.

"It is for this reason that, while preserving the fundamental law regarding the autocratic power, we have deemed it well to form a Gosudarstvennaia Douma (Lower House of the Assembly), and to approve the regulations for elections to the Douma, extending the validity of these laws to the whole territory of the Empire with the exceptions only as may be considered necessary in the case of some religions in which special conditions obtain.

"As regards the participation in the labors of the Gosudarstvennaia Douma of delegates from the grand duchy of Finland on questions concerning the Empire in general and the grand duchy in particular, we will take special measures.

"At the same time we have ordered the minister of the interior to submit immediately for our approbation regulations for the elections to the Douma, so that deputies from fifty governments and from the military province of the Don may be able to assemble not later than the middle of January, 1906.

"We reserve to ourselves entirely the care of perfecting the organiza-

tion of the Gosudarstvennaia Douma and when the course of events shall have shown the necessity of the changes corresponding completely to the needs of the times and the welfare of the Empire, we shall not fail to give at the proper moment the necessary directions.

Blessing Invoked.

"We are convinced that those who shall have been elected by confidence of the whole people and who will thus be called upon to participate in the legislative work of the government will show themselves in the eyes of all Russia to be worthy of the imperial trust in the virtues of which they have been invited to co-operate in this great work, and that, in perfect harmony with our other institutions and authorities of the states established by us, they will contribute profitably and zealously to our common mother, Russia, and for the strengthening of the Empire, the security and the prosperity of the people."

"In invoking the blessing of the Lord on the labors of the institution established by us, and with unshakable confidence in the grace of God and in the infallibility of the great historical destinies reserved by Divine Providence for our beloved fatherland we firmly hope that, with the help of God Almighty and with the combined efforts of all her sons, Russia will emerge triumphantly from the trying ordeals through which she is now passing and will be borne again in the strength, the greatness and the glory of her history, extending through a thousand years.

"Given at Peterhof, this 19th day of August, in the year of grace, 1905, and the eleventh year of our reign.

"NICHOLAS."

Purpose of Body.

Many of the main features governing the elections to and the proceedings and the powers of the national assembly have already been called in these dispatches.

The paragraph of the first section sets out the purpose of the new legislative body as follows:

"The Douma is established for the preliminary study and discussion of legislative appropriations, which, according to the fundamental laws, go up through the council of the Empire to the supreme autocratic authority."

Paragraphs 2 and 3 explain the composition and organization of the Douma, which is to be formed of members elected by the population of the Russian Empire, in accordance with the election regulations.

The term of Douma is to be five years, but it can be dissolved by the Emperor. There is to be a general session, but the Douma will also meet by sections, the length of the sessions being determined by the Emperor. The president and upper officials are to be elected by the members.

Paragraph 19 of section 3 provides that "members of the Douma shall enjoy freedom in exchanging their opinions on matters, within the competency of the body and are not to be responsible to the electors."

Several sections are devoted to the exemptions to be enjoyed by the members and the reasons for the occasions on which they can be deprived of their membership.

Regulations Prescribed.

Ministers and chiefs of departments cannot be members of the Douma, but they can attend its sessions and make explanations or delegate that right to others. The Douma can demand explanations from the ministers. Section 5 deals with the competency of the Douma, which is as follows:

"A—All questions relating to new laws or to the modification, application or temporary suspension or repeal of existing laws, and also relating to appointments made on the staff of ministers and the expenditures thereby involved.

B—Departmental, ministerial and national budgets, also other expendi-

tures not provided therein.

C—The financial report of the Comptroller of the Empire.

D—The appropriation of any portion of the revenues or property of the state.

E—The construction of railways by the state.

F—Questions regarding the organization of stock companies involving exceptions from existing legislation.

G—Matters submitted by imperial decree.

The Douma has jurisdiction in the matter of taxation in the provinces where there are no Zemstvos, also in the raising of the rate above that fixed by the Zemstvos and City Councils.

The Douma will have initiative in the matter of appeal or modification of old and the adoption of new laws, but the fundamental laws of administration are not to be touched by it. The ministers and chiefs of departments and the secretary of the Empire will submit questions to the Douma for discussion.

Method of Procedure.

Many sections are devoted to the method of procedure. The public will not be admitted to the sessions. Representatives of the newspapers will be admitted by the president to open sessions, the latter being ordered by the general session or by the president, or at the request of a minister, when he has a question to submit involving a national secret. Reports of the meeting may be published by the president after passing the Douma bills will go to the council of the Empire and then to the Emperor.

Should the Douma and the Council of the Empire disagree, the question at issue will be submitted to a joint commission. Should this bring no conclusion, the question again will be submitted to the Council of the Empire. Should the Emperor call attention to delays in the consideration of any specific question, the Council of the Empire shall appoint a date on which the Douma must reach a conclusion, failing which the Council of the Empire will act alone.

Legislative bills may be introduced when endorsed by thirty members. Should a minister differ with the Douma respecting a bill, and the Douma in general session pass the bill by a two-thirds majority the question will be referred to the Emperor. Relating to the electoral system the project states that elections are holdable—firstly, in the provinces and territories; secondly, in the principal towns, which are named. In Poland, Siberia, the Caucasus, Turkestan and some provinces special regulations will govern the elections. The total membership will be 412, of which twenty-eight will be returned by the towns.

Provincial Electoral College.

The election in the provinces and territories will be affected by a provincial electoral college, chosen; firstly, by the land owners; secondly, by urban electors, and thirdly, by delegates of the peasantry. Women, men under 25 years old, students, sailors, soldiers, bankrupts and persons convicted of crimes or desertion shall not have the right to vote. Governors and the police can not vote when they are exercising their functions. Land owners, mine owners, and owners of industrial establishments of a minimum value of \$7,500 and clergy owning lands are qualified to vote in the electoral assemblies.

In the urban electoral assemblies owners of lands of a minimum value of \$750, and owners of industrial properties of the first category are qualified. The peasantry electoral assembly shall consist of two delegates from each canton, chosen by the peasants belonging to the cantonal and agricultural corporations. In cities, which are named, owners of real estate of the value of \$1,500 and owners of industries of the first category and persons paying taxes or rent of the tenth category are qualified to participate in the electoral assemblies.

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LIVINGSTON'S JAIL BIRDS.

Make Another Unsuccessful Attempt to Secure Freedom.

The prisoners in the Smithland jail are determined to make their escape for good, it seems.

The fourth successive attempt was made Friday by the prisoners to secure their freedom, but they were again unsuccessful. Jim Cowan and Jim Wells, two men who are in jail for murder had once more in some unknown manner secured files and saws and had one bar partly cut in two when discovered by Jailer Threlkeld. The prisoners were immediately lodged in different cells.

A few months ago three prisoners escaped from the prison but were recaptured after several days and later a second attempt was almost successful. The tools which have been used to saw and prize the bars in two have been handed to the prisoners by some outside person, and a close watch is being kept to detect the guilty party.

Jailer Threlkeld, of Smithland, was in the city yesterday but would not reveal the purpose of his visit, but it is thought that he surmises who has been furnishing the tools to the prisoners and that he may be located in Paducah.

The jail will soon be repaired and strengthened so that there will be no more fear of escapes.

Potter Bank Failure.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 19.—Jacob Solinger and James R. Duffin, attorneys in the involuntary bankruptcy proceedings against the assigned banking company of P. J. Potter's Sons, Bowling Green, filed answer in the federal court here to the charges brought against them in the bank's response. They deny that those signing the petition to throw the concern into bankruptcy had entered into a fraudulent conspiracy with Mr. Solinger to divide the latter's fee or that Mr. Duffin has misrepresented the facts to one creditor to persuade him to join in the petition. A further list of creditors is added to the petition.

Misses Ruth Rhea, Ethel and Lela Creameas have gone to Shawneetown to visit.

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Make It Congratulations.

(Clinton Twice-a-Week.)

In the light of history we scarcely know whether to offer our sympathy or congratulations to the Paducah Register. Attorney J. Mark Worten has filed another libel suit against the paper. The action is brought in the name of Elden Stone by his next friend, his father, Sam Stone, who charges a damaging publication in the Register during August last year, while Stone was locked up in the city jail at Paducah on the charge of petit larceny. This suit, like a former suit brought by Worten, was filed in Livingston county instead of McCracken, the home of the defendant. Attorney Worten formerly lived in Livingston county and he probably thinks he can pick a jury in that county that will come nearer giving his client the kind of justice he is seeking, though the Register won the last \$10,000 damage suit Worten had against it in Livingston.

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Something About a Religious Sect Which Has Out-Downed Dowie Apparently.

THE THREE LEADERS OF WONDERFUL CRUSADERS.

Benton Harbor, Aug. 19.-"Angel" Benjamin, chief of the Holy Rollers, is preparing to drive the devil out of New York City. From Benton Harbor, now famed as the new 'City of David,' Benjamin is gathering those apostles about him with whom he will soon invade the metropolis.

The Holy Rollers are one of the fast-growing religious sects, and what their campaign will result in is a matter of conjecture. It is estimated by some persons that "Benjamin the Holy" and his wife, "Beautiful Mary," have \$100,000 at their command. Whether or no the estimate is well founded, the fact remains that Benton Harbor, which until very recently was only a small village, is developing under the "Angel" into one of the most important places in Michigan. Benjamin has built a great electric lighting plant, and his \$500,000 temple, an exact counterpart of the structure of the Mormons in Salt Lake City, is almost completed.

Many other things Benjamin has done with the wealth at his command, but the latest is the building of scores of residences intended for the converts whom he says he will bring back with him from New York. For more than a year Benjamin and Mary have been planning the Eastern crusade, and \$100,000 has been spent in gathering together a musical organization with which to carry it on. For months talent has been arriving from Germany, Italy, France and other European countries, and now he has 100 men and women singers and players to whom he is weekly paying out large sums. A school of music under the direction of a noted musician has been established in the "City of David," and for weeks the musicians have been practicing together. Besides these musicians from every land, among whom, Benjamin says, will be numbered men and women of fame, a juvenile band of fifty boys and girls is organized.

Crusade Leaders.

The three most interesting people of the band are Benjamin, his wife Mary and Mary's private secretary. Benjamin himself is a fine-looking man, and Mary would be called beautiful. She is slender, possesses a pair of dark, lustrous eyes and nut-brown hair that she wears loose and which falls in natural waves and ringlets almost to her waist.

This trio will lead the work of the Holy Apostles. Benjamin announces that he will hire special trains which will transport free of charge hundreds of thousands of people into New York City from the surrounding country. At present there is a little war on among Benjamin's chief apostles, and for that reason the "Angel" cannot state definitely when the New York campaign will begin. Some of these apostles urge Benjamin to begin with Chicago first, as being truly the city of the devil. Others hold that Philadelphia needs moral cleansing more than any other place on earth, and it is not at all improbable that Philadelphia will be included in the New York trip. Still others of the apostles hold that Michigan should be thoroughly conquered, as the Mormons conquered Utah, before outside operations are begun. But Benjamin argues that Detroit and other Michigan cities may be invaded by lesser guns while he attacks the East.

Big Zoo to Be Named the Ark.

Meanwhile the gigantic building operations in the "City of David" are still going on. To the one-time village of Benton Harbor are to be brought living creatures from every part of the world, from the great snakes of Borneo to the lions of Abyssinia, and for the accommodation of these Benjamin is constructing a huge building which he calls the Ark.

Not long ago 100 converts joined Benjamin from Australia, and with them they brought \$500,000. Arrangements had been made for the housing of these people, but efforts tenfold as great are now being made in order to accommodate the New Yorkers who will be asked to call the "City of David" their home.

The Holy Rollers are a strictly moral people. They believe in educating every child, whether girl or boy, as they believe that education only will conquer the world. They believe that every child should possess an accomplishment, and every child of 10 years or over in the "City of David" must study music or something else that will serve to refine it.

But they will own nothing else. The properties will be worked, as they now are, in common, and all the assets, will live in peace, comfort and happiness, each working indefatigably for the conversion of the rest of the world.

DEATHS IN CALLOWAY.

Aged and Respected Residents Pass From Life Into Eternity.

(Murray Ledger, 17th.)

Ben Watkins, of the Hardin vicinity, died last week from the effects of an operation amputating his arm which was ulcerated. He was well known through north Calloway and was an estimable gentleman.

Mrs. Amanda Orny died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Effie Gatlin, on Pool street, of consumption. She had been sick for several months. She was born in Stewart county, Tenn., Aug. 18th, 1840. Her maiden name was Acree, being a member of that well-known family who reside in Tennessee and South-east Calloway. She was married December 18th, 1859, to the late Judge G. G. Orny, who was one of the best known and most popular men in this county. He served his people three terms as county judge and was county attorney at the time of his death. Mrs. Orny is survived by four children, all of whom reside in Murray. The daughters are Mrs. Effie Gatlin, Miss Eunice Orny and Mrs. H. E. Wear; the son is Rudy Orny.

Mr. W. M. Nix, whose sickness we mentioned last week, died at his home in Kirksey last Friday. He was about 66 years old at the time of his death. Besides a large circle of other relatives he leaves a wife and four children, two girls and two boys; the girls are Mrs. Tee Roberts, of Coldwater, and Miss Dixie Nix; the boys are Riley and Gus Nix, of Kirksey, the latter being the popular west side deputy sheriff. Myers Nix, as everybody called him, enlisted in the Confederate army in 1861 in Company H, Third Kentucky, serving under Capt. T. A. Miller, and made a brave and efficient soldier, of which fact his old comrades bear testimony. After the war he engaged in the merchandise business at Newburg and Pottertown, subsequently moving to Kirksey, where he has been engaged in business for 25 years. He was successful in business and leave a good estate for his family.

THOUGHTS FOR THE DAY.

"Slowly through the ages men have been learning until now the gladly accept truth, that in material things as well as in the laws of mind their best good lies in the most minute and careful obedience to God's laws."—Rev. Dr. F. W. Luce.

"In all modern sports there must be the intellectual powers as well as muscular might; there must be the social instinct, the power of working with another, as well as colossal individualism."—Rev. Dr. Sewell.

"The young man who is playing with the world of chance is blinding his eyes to the fact that manhood alone is the true riches—the imperishable wealth. Fine moral distinctions are lost in the pursuit of wealth. The line between truth and treachery, between infidelity and faith, in the empire of business, becomes more and more indistinct."—Rev. George W. King.

"If there would be less vacation and more work, there would be less worldliness in the church. As a general thing, summer resorts are not calculated to create any religious enthusiasm, and it takes two or three months of the fall to get both pastor and people 'lined up' again."—Rev. S. I. Lindsay.

"Nothing but the word of God can light the scenes of the present or the future for us. No one but Jesus Christ can give everlasting consolation and good hope through grace."—Rev. Wm. Hoge Marquess.

Should Study the Matter.

(Mayfield Messenger.)

Before the voters make up their minds to vote for the amendment of the state Constitution, in order to change our present system of voting, they should give the matter some study. This is an important question, one that should not be cast over lightly, but every voter should understand its importance before he votes. He should remember that the secret ballot is the great ballot of the common people, and that without it the average voter is looked upon as a purchasable commodity by the rich corporations of the country. A man's vote is one thing above all things he should be allowed to cast just as he pleases, and be protected in it against the rich and rough elements of the country according to his rights under the constitution. A secret ballot was originally demanded by the poor laboring people of the country and it is a result of their effort. Gentlemen, look into this proposition before you vote.

Citizens of Paris, Tex., avert the lynching of a negro by an appeal to the mob which had already placed the rope around the negro's neck.

Dr. Leach, the arsenic expert, succeeds in securing official support from Gov. Blanchard to pursue his experiments.

THE P. T. M. A.

(Specially Reported.)

The first duty of every member of the Paducah Traveling Men's club is to vote early Monday morning, Aug. 21st, for Brother Ernest Lackey for councilman of the Fourth ward. Let us by all means have a representative of the traveling men in the city council. The second duty is to get all your friends to vote likewise. Don't let anyone forget this.

Gov. Bob Taylor, known by every citizen of the Sunny South, will deliver a lecture Monday night at The Kentucky under the auspices of the Paducah Traveling Men's Association and everyone who can come should be present to hear his lecture on "Castles in the Air."

This is the first time Gov. Taylor has lectured in this city at popular prices, 25, 50 and 75c. It's a treat to hear him and you will be delighted with the entertainment.

You have to get an airship to get into some points in the South unless you have your health certificate. They stop you in Memphis and ask you, "good morning, have you a fresh health certificate?" and if you haven't beware. Boys be on your guard.

Will Lillard, of the Southern Hotel, Jackson, Tenn., wears a carnival booster button and is doing his part to advertise the carnival. A carnival ad appears on every page of the hotel register.

Don't forget Gov. Bob Taylor's lectures Monday night at The Kentucky. Popular prices; 25c, 50c and 75c.

Secretary H. C. Hoover is at Jackson this week attending to business and incidentally selling buttons and advertising the carnival.

Carnival buttons were mailed to all members. Please sell them as soon as possible and mail proceeds to S. N. Hecht, treasurer, Paducah, Ky.

B. M. Philley, of this city, was down the I. C. last week.

Lee Rafalsky worked West Tennessee for a few days.

Louis Cornilland is with us again this week.

Hughes McKnight, of the Smith & Scott aggregation, makes his headquarters in Jackson, Tenn.

The "onliest" Lee Livingston, as usual, was working the trade in West Tennessee during the past few days.

Lee has that down fine.

C. R. Renfro says there is no way possible for an epidemic of any kind getting into West Kentucky or Tennessee. He had to buy a trunk to put his health certificates in and states it is nearly full now. We caught him by wire at Mayfield and he informed us if paper and ink lasted he would surely be home for the P. T. M. C. meeting if his money held out, as health certificates cost money.

President Sanchez is in town again. The "old man" has already sold a bunch of buttons. Beat him, boys. Don't let him get ahead of you.

J. C. Rieke was out selling calicoes this week.

J. M. Clements has been at home all week nursing a badly sprained limb.

S. G. Bryant is spending his vacation at home.

W. Elliott Smith, the popular hat man, was here this week.

Smith Utterback has resigned his position with Armour & Co.

W. G. Buchanan (Meat Buck) is in to Sunday. We noticed him out last evening giving the ladies a treat. So nice of you, Mr. Buck.

J. V. Hardy, of the Hardy Buggy company, is in the city. We are pleased to have John again make Paducah his home.

Guy Dunning is home from a trip in Southern Illinois.

Isadore Klein, the harness man, spent the week at home. He leaves tomorrow on his regular trip.

Dr. Hays, of the Schoffner, Hays Drug company, worked West Tennessee the past week.

R. E. Terry, representing Hecht & Co., was here this week visiting his home.

We have not seen or heard of our friend Willie Helvey this week. We suppose he is still at Dawson.

Don't forget to vote for Ernest Lackey for councilman of the Fourth ward tomorrow.

Gov. Taylor, who lectures tomorrow at The Kentucky for the benefit of the Paducah Traveling Men's Association, is the most eloquent man on the American platform today, and his lecture, "Castles in the Air," is conceded by everybody to be his best, and he should be welcomed by a big audience. Hear him and help the P. T. M. C. Admission only 25c, 50c and 75c.

Tom Hall, who has been representing the wholesale dry goods firm of C. H. Rieke for several years, has resigned his position and on September 1 will go on the road for Ely-Walker Dry Goods company of St. Louis. We exceedingly regret that Tom will no longer represent a Paducah firm, but we wish him much success with his new house. Tom promises to continue as a good member of the P. T. M. C. and will make Paducah his headquarters and be in this city as much as ever.

Hon. W. A. Berry will introduce Gov. Bob Taylor to his audience at The Kentucky Monday evening. There is no more graceful nor entertaining speaker in the city than Mr. Berry, and that he will properly introduce our distinguished lecturer all are fully assured.

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WANTED—Any person to distribute our samples; \$18.00 weekly, steady "EMPIRE" 4 Wells street, Chicago.

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Sunday Morning, Aug. 20, 1905.

YEARN FOR BATTLE.

Oyama's Forces Ask Mikado to Loose Them on Russians.

New York, Aug. 19.—A cable from Tokio, dated August 16, says that a memorial from Oyama and his generals was received by the Mikado on August 13. The signers declared that the Japanese forces were in position to strike a blow which would utterly rout the whole Russian army and result in the capture or destruction of the entire force. The signers also strenuously urged the imposition of more severe peace terms than those reported to have been tentatively fixed at Portsmouth.

RECOVERED MIND AND DIED.

Dayton, O., Aug. 19.—Leon Jaserwitz, formerly a noted Russian musician, died in the Dayton State Hospital today, aged sixty-six years. While touring the United States with an opera company, thirty years ago, Jaserwitz lost his mind, and with it went all knowledge of music. Some months ago, to the great surprise of the physicians, Jaserwitz regained his intellect fully and organized a band and orchestra among the asylum inmates.

ABOUT THE PEOPLE

Mr. William Brown, of Hardmoney, is in the city.

Mr. R. Reed and son went to Frankfort yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Fisher went to Dawson yesterday to join her husband.

Rev. M. E. Chappell, of Princeton, is in the city.

Mr. R. F. Bates, of Dayton, O., is in the city.

Mr. W. C. Orchard, of Cincinnati, is in the city.

Mr. L. B. Threlkeld leaves today for a visit to Smithland.

Mr. J. B. Gilbert has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Mr. J. E. Berg leaves today for Nashville on business.

Misses Lettie and Luella Smith have returned from New York, Washington and other points East.

Detective Will Baker is in Dawson for a week.

Mr. Gus Covington, of Mayfield, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Helen McBroom leaves today for a visit to Clinton.

Mrs. Daisy Winfrey, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Mr. W. H. Faulkner, of Bandana, is in the city.

Mr. Sank Rappelle, of Smithland, is in the city.

Mrs. Helen Dunn is visiting in Smithland.

Prof. R. A. Wood, of Florence, Station, is in the city.

Mr. J. R. Martin is in Louisville on business.

Mrs. Clint Wilcox has returned from Mayfield.

Mr. W. C. Kemp, of Memphis, Tenn., is here on business.

Miss Dean, of Union City, has returned home, after a visit to Mrs. Harry Hollingshead.

Dr. M. M. Cooley went to Dawson yesterday.

Misses Emma Mix and Mary Geagan returned yesterday from Evansville, Ind.

Mr. Tom Holland has recovered from a several days illness.

Mr. Frank Ryan, of Memphis, is visiting his uncle, W. A. Wickliffe.

Attorney E. W. Bagby went to Murray yesterday on business.

Mr. R. B. Phillips, Mrs. George Baker and Mr. Henry Rudy, leave tonight for the East.

Attorney John K. Hendrick has returned from Ballard county.

Mrs. Harry Johnson is visiting in Rutherford, Tenn.

Miss Ola Woods, of Bloomington, Ill., is here on a visit.

Mr. H. T. Ogden, cashier of the Hazel bank, is in the city.

Mr. W. J. Gilbert will accompany his wife to Hardin today, where she will visit relatives for several days.

Mrs. Walker H. Bowman has returned to Owensboro, after visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Tom Hammond has returned from a ten-days' visit to Cairo and Kuttawa.

Miss Bessie Daniels, of Sturgis, arrived yesterday afternoon to visit the family of Capt. J. E. Williamson.

Van Higgins, of Mississippi, was here yesterday en route to Murray, to visit his parents.

Mr. Tom Hall returned yesterday from a drumming trip through Illinois.

Miss Mary Bringham has gone to Clarksville, after a visit to Mrs. B. H. Scott. From there she goes to her home in Washington.

Mrs. Judge D. L. Sanders was down from Smithland for a few hours yesterday. She reported the judge slightly better yet too ill to make the trip with her.

Mrs. B. Bergauer and Mr. Joseph Klein leave Tuesday for Chicago.

Mr. J. M. Quinn has gone to St. Louis to visit his son, Mr. Thomas Quinn.

Mrs. J. E. Bugg and children have returned from Golconda.

Mr. I. H. Hughes, of Hardin, is in the city.

Mrs. A. E. Irvan, of Hardin, is registered at the Palmer.

Mr. Will Crow and family have returned to their home in Ballard county.

Capt. E. R. Dutt goes to Jopka, Ill., Monday to look after interests there.

Prof. Jack Wells, of Lone Oak, will leave shortly for Rockwall, Tex., to resume the principalship of the high school there. Prof. Wells is a bright young instructor, and has been teaching in Texas for several years. He formerly lived at Wadesboro.

Mr. Willie Harris and Mr. Boyce Runyan, of Clarksville, Tenn., are visiting Col. Gus Singleton and wife.

The Rev. W. H. Pinkerton returned yesterday from Benton, where

he has been holding a protracted meeting. The meeting was a success from the start and there were many additions. Dr. Pinkerton will fill his pulpit at the First Christian church Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. C. E. Renfro will leave today on a southern trip.

Mr. C. F. Buchanan came in yesterday to "check" up his affairs.

C. C. Duke is in to attend church today.

Master Henry Unrath will leave this week for Milwaukee, Wis., to enter college. He will be accompanied by his father, Mr. Gustav Unrath, and sister, Miss Emilie.

Miss Emilie Unrath will leave this week for the north to spend her vacation.

Master Henry Presnell has gone to Echo Springs for a vacation. His mother, Mrs. J. C. Presnell, will join him after a visit to Grand Rivers.

Mr. James B. Johnson has gone to his home at Sharpe, Marshall county, to recuperate from his illness.

Dr. and Mrs. T. E. Moss and little daughter, Margaret, of Woodville, will leave Sunday for Portland to attend the exposition. From there they will go to San Francisco and will sail on the steamer "Shawmut" for the Philippines, where Dr. Moss has been appointed surgeon of the constabulary.

Mr. Charles James, as his friends will be pleased to learn, is convalescing. He is in the hospital at Evansville, where he was taken for an operation for appendicitis, but which was deferred when it was discovered that he was going into typhoid fever. His physician thinks he will be able to leave the hospital in two weeks more.

Prof. Harry Gilbert returned last night from a two weeks' visit to relatives in Dallas, Tex. His quarantine experiences while enroute home were really amusing though astonishing. He was five hours in Memphis, but though with a health certificate was not allowed to leave the depot and to move two squares had to travel in a bus and was under guard. He says all the way up from Dallas until he reached Kentucky armed quarantine officers fairly lined the railway.

Baseball Today.

The L. A. Ls and the Shamrocks cross bats for the second time this season at the I. C. shop grounds this morning.

The Shamrocks lost the first game, but claim they will win the second with their new line-up.

Theobald and Black for the L. A. Ls, and Warren and Bryant for the Shamrocks, will be the batteries.

The L. A. Ls play at Benton, Ky., next Thursday.

The fast team from Princeton, Ky., will be here today and play either the L. A. Ls or 1905s.

The 1905s and Brook Hills will play this morning at the Illinois Central railroad shop grounds at Fourteenth and Kentucky avenue.

The game will be called at 10 o'clock. The batteries: For 1905s, Arnold and Hart; for Brook Hills, Jones and Gilbert.

The Centrals will go to Metropolis, Ill., and play the strong team of that city this afternoon. The batteries: For Metropolis, Dyer and Hall; for the Centrals, Sutherland and Smith.

Members of Paducah Aerle No. 1177, F. O. E. Take notice. Aerle will meet Monday night, Aug. 21st, at Elk's O. Hall. Business of much importance to be transacted and all are requested to be on hand promptly at 8 o'clock.

L. S. LEVY, Secretary.

Mr. Rodfus Declines.

On account of my time being consumed in business matter and thereby causing me to be unable to devote as much time to the office as I should desire, I ask that my name not be used Monday in the selection of a school trustee for the Fourth ward.

Thanking my friends for the honor they would have conferred upon me, I am, very truly,

FRANK D. RODFUS.

The following recruits for the U. S. army have been enlisted and taken to Columbus, Ohio, barracks: Wm. E. Madden, of Puxico, Mo.; Wm. H. Greenoun, of Harrisburg, Tenn.; and Wm. Stoddard, of Dawson Springs, Ky.

THE RIVER NEWS

Stages Yesterday.

Cairo, 19.0; rising.

Chattanooga, 6.4; falling.

Cincinnati, 15.8; rising.

Evansville, 10.3; rising.

Florence, 5.5; standing.

Johnsonville, 8.4; rising.

Louisville, 6.0; rising.

Mt. Carmel, 5.3; falling.

Nashville, 9.9; falling.

Pittsburg, 4.2; falling.

Davis Island Dam, 6.4; falling.

St. Louis, 12.5; standing.

Mt. Vernon, 9.6; rising.

Paducah, 10.4; rising.

The Sycamore has gone to Mississippi after lumber.

The Dick Fowler arrived last night on time from Cairo.

The Henry Harley has been left off the ways and is laying up here.

The Saffilo is due tonight from St. Louis for the Tennessee river.

The Enos Taylor will be completed Thursday and will leave for Shawnee town.

The Maud Kilgore has arrived from Memphis and goes on the docks for repairs.

Jack Sanders, a carpenter, was struck over the eye with a steel bar Friday at the docks.

The Reuben Dunbar is due today at 9 o'clock. She will be put on the ways for repairs. It cannot be told how long it will take to get the boat back in shape until the boat is examined and the nature of the damage ascertained.

The J. B. Williams which sunk over a week ago was raised yesterday in a much surprisingly shorter time than was ever imagined. After the work of bulk heading her was completed there were four boats put to work pumping the water out.

They were the Alice Brown, Pacific, Wash. Henshell and Fulton. The Williams was raised at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon and will be placed on barges and floated down the river, arriving here today.

CARD FROM JUDGE D. L. SANDERS.

(To the Voters of Paducah, Ky.)

I regret very much on account of my illness I have been unable to call upon you in person and request your votes at the primary on August 21st, 1905.

I promise you should I receive the nomination in the primary and be re-elected to the office of police judge of Paducah at the general election in November, I will do all in my power to fill the position without fear or favor, and act in all cases that come before me conscientiously and with an eye single to tempering justice with mercy.

With best wishes for you all, I remain, Your obedient servant.

D. L. SANDERS.

August 19th, 1905.

Will Meet Thursday.

The Paducah W. C. T. U. will meet next Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the lecture room of the First Baptist church.

Mrs. Dorothy Koger, press superintendent, will present a symposium from the Federation of Women's clubs, describing the various methods by which "the power of the press" can be made to serve as an important factor in the promotion of good works in both educative and reformatory lines. Some very interesting suggestions will be submitted. A most cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the cause.

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received for the erection of an Elks home at Paducah, Ky., according to plans and specifications furnished by O. D. Schmidt, architect. Plans can be seen at the architect's office. All bids to be in the hands of the architect not later than 10 o'clock a. m. September 5, 1905. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

A. W. GREIF, Sec.

Elks Building Ass'n.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will on Monday, August 21, 1905, about the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. at the city hall door, corner Fourth and Kentucky avenue, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder one hundred (100) feet of ground on Clay street, between the residence of Mr. James M. Lang and one recently built by Mr. Jeff Read. Terms made known on day of sale.

D. A. YEISER, Mayor.

10c a Week for The Register.

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DINNER SUNDAY, WINE INCLUDED 50c. 12:30 to 2.

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GENERAL INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE AGENCY. SPECIAL ATTENTION TO ALL CLASS OF GUARANTY BONDS. DON'T ASK YOUR FRIENDS—WE TURNISH SECURITY. OLD PHONE NO. 204.

Chicago Excursion.

The excursion to Chicago will leave Paducah Union depot promptly at 10 a. m., Tuesday, August 22nd, and will not make any other stop inside the city limits. The train will run via Cairo. The Illinois quarantine restrictions will not interfere with this excursion, but passengers are advised to procure health certificates before leaving the city. Fare for the round trip \$5.00. Tickets good returning until August 30th. Tickets good going only on the special excursion train.

J. T. Donovan, Agent, Paducah, Ky.

G. C. Warfield, Ticket Agent, Union Depot.

RUBBER TIRES.

For cash, until September 1st, I will re-rubber vehicles with first-class International solid two-wire rubber tires at 10 per cent. discount from regular prices. J. V. GREIF, Manager, 210 Kentucky avenue.

Mrs. W. H. Bowman, of Owensboro, has gone to Dawson, after a visit here.

Electric Light Notice.

All bills are due and payable at the office of the company, 120 South Fourth street. Current will be discontinued if bills are not paid on or before August 20.

PADUCAH CITY RAILWAY.

For Sale.

For sale. Stock of groceries at corner Ninth and Tennessee. Will exchange for real estate or cash or note with security.

Get a 30c bottle of Seethal. It is a reliable, powerful and prompt disinfectant. Instantly deodorizes and disinfects any material it is applied to. No matter how fetid or offensive, dyes and neutralizes all poisonous gases arising from decayed animal or vegetable matters, arrests decomposition and prevents contagion. It purifies the air without creating any odor whatever. Dilute highly, according to directions and sprinkle about freely. It does not stain. For sale at all drug stores.

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